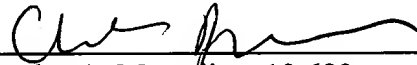


## REMARKS

The undersigned wishes to thank the Examiner in charge of the above application for the courtesies extended to him at the telephone interview of February 24, 2005 at which time, she informed the undersigned that claim 14 had never been entered since the amendment of October 5, 2004 was not entered. Therefore, the present amendment represents claim 14 as newly presented. It is now requested that the RCE filed November 16, 2004 be acted upon.

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